

I firmly support the extension of the no-call list. My home is not a billboard, radio or TV station and, therefore, it should be up to me to determine who reaches into it via advertising or any other medium. The argument that telemarketing is necessary is absurd since many of the same business who now say they must have it operated successfully long before it existed. It is up to me to seek out information about any entity with which I wish to do business--they are not welcome in my home without an invitation. I am amazed, and thoroughly pleased, at how effective the list has been at reducing the number of calls we receive. The only way I could support discontinuing the no-call list is if every individual telemarketing employees' name and personal contact information is shared with the general public so that we have the same option to call them whenever we choose. That way we would all at least be on a level playing field. Since I doubt that will happen, please do not take away my right to privacy by ending the no-call list. Thank you.